

of Beaumont, the Imperial Guard around Beaumont, the four corps of cavalry under Marshal Grouchy, b*a\vr*ii Beaumont and Walcourt.

An English writer who was at Brussels during the gathering and the bursting of tin* wur-ehmd gives .soim* graphic details.

"The town," I u», «avH, "wa»s on»\vded to exeess. The* bright and varied uniforms of so many diHWent nations, mingled with tin* gay dresses of females in tin* park, ami the *Allm frrrtt**, thronged with superb horses and brilliant cquipagen, gave to the city unusual animation. Th»* *tttMt* il'lintr*, resounded with a confusion of toiitftifs wliirh might have rivalled the tower of Babel Halls and plays, routs and dinners, were the only topics of conversation, and though some occasional rumors were spread that tin¹ FreneJi had made am incursion within oiir lines and carried off a few head of cattle, the talcs were tin* va^ur to excite the least alarm. On the *M of June I went to see IiiJllHI troops reviewed by the Dukes of Wellington ami Hrunswiek. The splendid uniforms of the Kn^lish, Scotch, ami HanoveriatiH form(*d a strong ctontru^t with the gloomy hluvk of the Brunnwic'.k hussarB, whom* veneration for the meutctry of their old Duke could be only equalled by their devotion tt» liin son. I was particularly struck with the handsome features of the Duke of Brunswick, whom* fine manly figure, as he g*alloped actroBs the iield, ri*iii7JHl my /win ittStt/ of a warri>i\"

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